

# Collett Catch-Up



The Collett School  
Special Educational Needs



Friday 1<sup>st</sup> June 2018

## WHAT WE'VE BEEN UP TO

The builders have been busy over this half term ensuring that key areas of our school have new windows and doors (pictured above). This project has been undertaken swiftly to guarantee minimal clashes with students when they return next week. Classes will, however, be affected over the next half term for two to four days at a time. Measures have been put in place accordingly – we thank you for your patience and understanding.

## WHAT TO DO OVER HALF TERM

*Be sure to check out last week's newsletter for more info!*

### Autism Friendly Films

The next autism friendly screening at Hemel Cineworld will be for *Sherlock Gnomes* on Sunday 3rd June.

## COLLEGE & TRANSITION EVENINGS

**Monday 11th June**, 6pm at St Luke's for all Year 10 parents who want



## FORTHCOMING EVENTS

### JUNE

**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June**

BACK TO SCHOOL

**Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> June**

Year 11 Transition Day

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> June**

Redwood Assembly

**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> June**

Transition for Year 10 @ St Luke's,  
6pm

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> June**

Sports Day @ Cavendish

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> June**

Transition for Years 8 & 9, 6pm

information about Oaklands College and all the courses that will be available to them.

**Thursday 14th June**, 6pm at both schools for Year 8 and 9 parents/carers to discuss futures.

**Monday 18th June**, 6pm at Collett for all Year 10 parents who want information about West Herts College and all the courses that are available to them.

## STUDENT WELLBEING AT COLLETT



Wellbeing is integral to our philosophy here at Collett. Mental health can have a profound effect on everyone, including our students. Giving them space to calm and interact with sensory equipment is crucial to their academic and social development. Just look at these photos of Ravens from last Friday – relaxed and having fun! (Next time I'm going to insist on a foot massage)

## DON'T FORGET!

We are still looking for volunteers to help us with our **school play**. Be it costumes or just a helping hand – we need your help! Please contact the school office for more info.

**Thank you for reading – see you on Monday!**

**Mr Harry Crawford**

**The Collett School**

Visit us for more info. at

[www.collett.herts.sch.uk](http://www.collett.herts.sch.uk)

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social media, find us on

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## QUICK REMINDERS

Oaklands College open evenings and other key dates for this year can be found [on our website](#).

Our current school lunch menu is [available here](#).

**WE ARE A NUT FREE SCHOOL**

## ONLINE THIS WEEK

The National Autistic Society are hosting The Autism Show, the UK's national autism event, on 15<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> June at the ExCel Centre, London. [Click here](#) for more or to book.

## QUOTE OF THE WEEK

*"You must be the change you wish to see in the world."*

Mahatma Gandhi

## FACT OF THE WEEK

Famous children's author Michael Morpurgo's latest novel, *Flamingo Boy*, has an autistic main character. Morpurgo wanted to give autism a platform after his grandson was diagnosed autistic.

*National Autistic Society*